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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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In response to the Notice to Comply With Requirements for Applications Containing Sequence Disclosures mailed June 24, 1998, please amend the application as follows:

## IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 6, line 15, delete "Sequence ID no. 1," and

insert -- SEQ ID NO:1,--;

line 19, delete "Sequence ID" and insert -- SEQ

ID No:2,--;

Nine 20, delete "No. 2,".

Page 7, line 2, delete "Sequence ID No. 3," and insert
--SEQ ID No:3,--

Page 9, line 8, delete "SEQUENCE ID No. 1" and insert -- SEQ ID NO:1--; delete "SEQUENCE ID No." and insert -- SEQ ID NO:2--;

line 9, delete "2";

line 16, delete "SEQUENCE ID No. 1 or No. 2"."

and insert -- SEQ ID NO:1 or SEQ ID NO:2".--;

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